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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket	LIFE-015
	First Named Inventor	Khan, Tahir
	Application Number	09/844,929
	Filing Date	April 27, 2001
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	Group Art Unit	1753
	Examiner Name	Noguerola, A.
	Title	<i>Electrochemical Test Strip Having a Plurality Of Reaction Chambers and Methods for Using the Same</i>

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Sir:

This Amendment and Response is responsive to the Office Action dated March 13, 2003 for which a three-month period for response was given making this response due on or before June 13, 2003. A Petition for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith. In view of the amendments remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.